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HONGKONG, TUESDAY, MARCH 3, 1891.

Intimations.

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

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VICTORIA COLLEGE.

Leadenhall Street. W. M. WILLS, 161, CICHOOL DUTIES will be RESUMED on Camuna Street, E.C. ROBERT WATSON, THURSDAY, 5th Instant, at 9 a.m. ALFRED J. MAY, CARIS AND EUROPE: AMEDERPRINCE, Acting Head Master.

Hongkong, March 2, 1891. NEW YORK :- J. STEWART HAPPER, THE CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE,

ADJUSTMENT OF BONUS FOR THE YEAR 1890.

CONTRIBUTORS to the above OFFICE ZEALAND Garnon & Goron, Melare requested to Furnish the Under-JEYLON:-W. M. SMITH & Co., THE signed with a LIST of their CONTRIBUTIONS for the year ending 31st December, 1890, in Order that the DISTRIBUTION of BONUS may be arranged. Returns not rendered Co., Square, Singapore. C. Heinszen prior to the 31st DAY OF MARCH INSTANT, will be adjusted by the Office, and no UNINA :- Macao, A. A. DA CRUZ. Amoy, | Claims or Alterations will be subsequently N. MOALLE. Foochow, HEDGE & Co. | admitted.

JARDINE, MATRESON & Co., General Agents. CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE, LIMITED.

Hongkong, March 2, 1891 CHINA MERCHANTS' STEAM NAVI-GATION COMPANY'S

DEBENTURE LOAN or 1886. 9th Drawing and 21st Interest.

AUTHORISED CAPITAL£2,000,000. TNTEREST DUE and DRAWN BONDS of this LOAN will be PAYABLE at the Offices of the Hongkong & Shanghai Bead Office 40, Threadneedle Street. BANKING CORPORATION on and after the 2nd

day of March, 1891. LIST OF DRAWN BONDS on be obtained on application to the Undersigned.

For the Honorong & Shanghai Banking CORPORATION. Agents Issuing the Loan, F. DE BOVIS, Acting Chief Manager.

Hongkong, February 28, 1891. HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

ON CURRENT DEPOSIT ACCOUNTS 2 per I HE DIVIDEND declared for the Half Cent. per Annum on the Daily Balance. Year ending 31st December, 1890, at the Rate of £1.10/, together with a BONUS E. W. RUTTER, of £1.10/per OLD SHARE, and 11/3d. with Manager. a BONUS of 11/3d. per New SHARE (on Hongkong, September 4, 1890. which 1st and 2nd Calls have been paid-up) are PAYABLE on and after MONDAY the 2nd March next, at the Offices of the NOTICE. Corporation, where Shareholders are re-DULES OF THE HONGKONG quested to apply for WARRANTS.

> By Order of the Court of Directors, F. DE BOVIS. stelling Unit Landger. Hongkong, February 28, 1891.

premises in Hongkong. Business hours on week-days, 10 to 3 : Saturdays, 10 HONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION. 2. Sums less than \$1, or more than \$250 COMPETITION for the Subscription

at one time will not be received. No Handicap CHALLENGE CUP (Short depositor may deposit more than \$2,500 Range) and RANGE SPOONS will be held on SATURDAY NEXT, the 7th Inst., at 3. - Depositors in the Savings' Bank having 3.30 p.m. Distances -- 200 and 300 Yards, \$100 or more at their credit may at Seven Shots at each. Position, anv. Entheir option transfer the same to the trance Fee, 30 Cents. Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Oor-A Launch will leave the P. & O. Pier

poration on fixed deposit for 12 months at 3 p.m. to convey Competitors. at 5 per cent, per annum interest. C. VIVIAN LADDS, 4.—Interest at the rate of 31 per cent. per annum will be allowed to depositors on Hon. Secretary.

Hongkong, March 2, 1891.

with a Pass-Book which must be pre-IN THE COURT FOR THE RELIEF OF INSOLVENT DEBTORS Depositors must not make any entries themselves in their Pass-AT CALCUTTA.

> In the Matter of ELIAS HYAM SOLOMON, an Intolvent.

6. Correspondence as to the business of DY on Order of the above Court, dated Hon. C. P. CHATER. the Bank if marked On Hongkong | 13th December, 1890. It is Ordered Savings' Bank Business is forwarded free | that the OREDITORS of the said Insolvent by the various British Post Offices in do on or BEFORE THE FIFTEENTH DAY OF APRIL NEXT file in the Office of the Chief Clerk of the Court, a Statement of Amount but the personal attendance of the of their respective CLAIMS against the depositor or his duly appointed agent, Estate of the said Inscirent duly verified and the production of his Pass-Book by their respective Affidavits, and that thereupon the said Chief Clerk do form a Schedule from the Claims so to be filed: HONORONO & SHANOHAI BANKING MORGAN & Co.,

Attorneys.] A. B. MILLER, Official Assignee.

HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS

THE Twenty-Second Ordinary Annual MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS RESERVE LIABILITY OF \$9,296,677.07 in the above Company will be held at the OFFICES of the Company, Pedder's Street, on SATURDAY, the 7th Proximo, at Noon; to receive a Statement of Accounts to the 31st December, 1890, the Deputy Chairman-S. C. MICHAELSEN, Esq. Report of the General Managers, and to elect a Consulting Committee and Auditors. H. L. DALRYMPLE, | Hon. J. J. KESWICK. The Transfer BOOKS of the Company ALRY. McConachie. will be CLOSED from the 21st Instant to the 7th Proximo, both days inclusive. W. H. FORBES, Eaq. L. POESNEUEER, Esq. C. J. HOLLIDAY, Esq. D. R. SASSOON, Esq.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers, Limited.

Hougkong, February 13, 1891. LONDON BANKERS. - London and County

THE CHINESE INSURANCE COM PANY, LIMITED. IN LIQUIDATION.

NY OTICE is hereby given that a General March, both days inclusive, N Current Deposit Account at the rate of 2 per cent, per annum on the daily MEETING of the above-named Company will be held at the HEAD OFFICE of the Company, Victoria, Hongkong (Mesars. MELCHERS & Co.'s), at 4 p.m. on THURS-DAY, the 12th March, 1891, when the Liquidators will lay before the Shareholders

has been conducted since the 31st December. 1889. The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 27th Instant to chief Commercial places in Europe, India, the 12th Proximo, both days inclusive.

> H. HARMS. for the Liquidators.

Sole Agent. Honekong, October 30, 1890.

Business Notices.

MUSICAL DEPARTMET.

SELECTION OF IJIOLINS, TENORS, BANJOS, GUITARS, MANDOLINES AND ZITHERS. CORNETS, SAXHORNS, BARITONES, EUPHONIUMS AND TROMBONES. CLARINETS, OBOES, FLUTES, PICCOLOS, FIFES AND FLAGEOLETES. VIOLIN, BANJO, GUITAR AND MANDOLINE STRINGS

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Hongkong, February 28, 1891.

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OUR STOCK of SEASONABLE GOODS is now complete in all the NEWEST MATERIALS, comprising:—A Large Variety of DRESS SUCTING from \$30, upwards. TWEEDS for SULTS, ULSTERS and INVERNESS CAPES, CORDS and ELASTICS for RIDING and SHOOTING, BRUCHES and LEGGINGS. EVENING DRESS SHIRTS, COLLARS, TIES, GLOVE, SILK, LISLE

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VICTORIA EXCHANGE, February 28, 1891.

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Mecers. DORAEJEE & HING KEE. Proprietors.

Intimations.

Hongkong, September 16, 1885.

THE HONGKONG LAND INVESTMENT AND AGENCY COMPANY.

LIMITED. SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL,.....\$5,000,000 PAID-UP CAPITAL,..... 2,500,000

RESERVE FUND,..... 1,250,000 Board of Directors : Hon, J. J. KESWICK,

CHAIRMAN. | Managing Directors. VICE CHAIRMAN. LEE SING, Esq. S. C. MICHAELSEN, Esq. J. S. MOSES, Esq. G. E. NOBLE, Esc.

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THE HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION. TATONEY ADVANCED ON MORTGAGE, on LAND or BUILDINGS;

PROPERTIES PURCHASED AND SOLD. Estates managed, and all kinds of Agency

and Commission Business relating to Land, &c., conducted. Full Particulars can be obtained at the

Company's OFFICES, No. 5, Queen's Road A SHELTON HOOPER, Secretary.

ictoria Buildings. Hongkong, 3rd May, 1889. THE CHINA SUGAR REFINING

COMPANY, LIMITED. NOTICE.

Hongkong Fire Insurance Company, THE Thirteenth Ordinary Annual MEET. ING of SHAREHOLDERS in the 304 above Company will be held at the OFFICE of the General Agents, Pedder's Street, on SATURDAY, the 21st March, at 11 a.m., for the purpose of receiving a Report from the General Agents with a Statement of ALL Accounts to the 31st December, 1890. The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 6th to the 21st

> JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Agents. Hongkong, February 28, 1891. MAC'S AINE

an Account showing their acts and dealings C PEOIA L BLEND OF and the manner in which the winding up FINEST OLD VATTED SCOTCH WHISKY. 'Of unsurpassed body and exquiste and

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Intimations. GREEN ISLAND CEMENT COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Ordinary Annual MEETING of SHARE-HOLDERS of the above Company, which was intended to be held on FRIDAY, the 27th February, 1891, to seeive the Report and S atement of the Accounts of the Company to the 31st of December, 1890, is POSTPONED until FRIDAY, the 6th March, 1891, when it will be held for the purpose above mentioned at the OFFICES of the Undersigned, at 4 p.m.
The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the date hereof to the 6th of March, both days inclusive. Notice is also hereby given that an EX-TRAORDIN RY PRIVATE MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS of the above Company will be held immediately after the termination of the Meeting aforesaid, to deliberate on certain proposals to be made by certain Shareholders. ARNHOLD, KARBERU & Co.,

General Managers. Hongkong, February 24, 1891.

STRAITS FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

Will be CLOSED at HEAD OFFICE,

SINGAPORE, from the 11th to the 26th March next, both days inclusive. ROBT. BAIRD, Hongkong, February 28, 1891.

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the Residence of Miss Rown, London Mission, Bottham Road, by Mr. G. D. Scott. THE WHOLE OF THE

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, &c., comprising :-REP COVERED DRAWING ROOM SUITE. a Share and General Broker. BLACKWOOD INLAND MARRIE-TOP CENTRE TABLE, BLACK and GOLD CHEFFONIER and

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Catalogues will be issued. TERMS OF SALE. - As customary. J. M. ARMSTRONG,

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JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers. Hougkong, January 27, 1890.

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Apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co. Hongkong, February 2, 1891.

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Apply to THE HONGKONG LAND INVEST. MENT & AGENCY Co., Lad. Rongkong, December 16, 1890. 2164

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HENRY HUMPHREYS, Secretary, Humphrey's Estate and Finance Company, Limited. Hongkong, December 30, 1890.

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Apply to JOHN A. JUPP. The Austin Arms Hotel and Building Company, Ld. Hongkong, October 4, 1890., 9262

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THE HONGKONG LAND INVEST MENT & AGENCY Co., LTD. Hongkong, December 16, 1890.

Notices of Firms.

NOTICE.

THE PARTNERSHIP hitherto existing between the Undersigned has been DISSOLVED from this date by Mutual Consent, the term of PARTNERSHIP having

Forward Settlements will be attended to LIGHTWOOD & SCOTT.

WITH Reference to the above, I shall continue the BUSINESS of H. H. LIGHTWOOD.

WITH Reference to the above, I shall CONTINUE the BUSINESS of a

Hongkong, February 23, 1891.

Notices to Consignees.

STEAMSHIP SALAZIE. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES

MARITIMES. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

MONSIGNEES of Cargo from London ex S.S. Ebre, and from Bordeaux ex S.S. Verbickmoes, in connection with the above Steamer, are hereby informed that their Goods-with the exception of Opium, Treasure and Valuables—are being landed FLOOR of the Company's Premises in and stored at their risk at the Company's

Optional Cargo will be forwarded on, unless intimation is received from the Consignees before 11-a.m. To-DAY (Thursday), the 29th Instant, requesting it to be landed here.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the Undersigned.

Goods remaining unclaimed after THURS-DAY, the 5th Merch, at Noon, will be subject to rent, and landing charges at one cent per packet per diem. All Claims must be sent in to me on or before the 6th March (FRIDAY), or they will not be recognised. Damaged packages

will be examined on WEDNESDAY, the 4th March, at 3 p.m. No Fire Insurance has been effected. G. DE CHAMPEAUX.

Hongkong, February 26, 1891 FROM HAMBURG, PENANG AND

SINGAPORE. THE Steamship Daphne, Capt. J. Voss, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature by the Undersigned, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from

Any Cargo impeding her discharge will be landed into the Godowns of the Hong-RONG, KOWLOON WHARF & GODOWN Co. Land atored at Consignees risk and

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 7th March will be subject to rent. All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will e examined on the 7th March, at 4 p. m. No Fire Insurance has been effected.

> SIEMSSEN & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, February 28, 1891.

Shipping.

Steamers. THE SCOTTISH ORIENTAL STEAM-

SHIP COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR SWATOW AND BANGKOK.

The Company's Steamer

Phra Chula Chom Klao;
Capt. J. A. Morris, will above Ports TO-MORROW, the 4th March,

For Freight or Passage, apply to

QUEN FAT HONG, Hongkong, March 3, 1891. DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY

LIMITED. FOR SWATOW. The Co.'s Steamship despatched for the above

Port on THURSDAY, the 5th Instant, at Daylight For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., General Managers.

Hongkong, March 2, 1891.

STEAM TO YOKOHAMA, VIA NAGA-SAKI AND KOBE (Passing through the INLAND SEA.) The P. & O. S. N. Co, a Steamanip

Captain W. D. Modre, will leave for the above places on FRI DAY, the 6th March, at Noon. E. L. WOODIN, Superintendent -P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office. Hongkong, February 28, 1801.

STEAM TO STRAITS & TOMBAY. (Calling at COLOMBO if sufficient inducement offers. The P. & O.S. N. Co.

Steamship
Niam
Captain E Crews, will leave for the above places on WEDNES-DAY, the 11th March, at Noon. E. L. WOODIN,

Superintendent. P. & O. S. N. Co, a Office. Hougkong, February 26, 1801.

Shipping.

Steamers.

FOR YOKOHAMA AND KOBE. The Steamship

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Captain J. Voss, will be despatched for the above Ports TU-MORROW, the 4th Inst., at 10 a.m.

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Hongkong, March 3, 1891.

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and BAGDAD. The Co.'s Steamship Bormida,
O. Gavazzo, Master, will
be despatched as above on FRIDAY, the 6th March, 1891, at Noon. At Bombay the Steamers are discharging in VICTORIA DOCK. For further Particulars regarding Freight

CARLOWITZ & Co., Agents. Hongkong, February 27, 1891.

FOR NEW YORK VIA SUEZ CANAL

and Passage, apply to

The Steamship Mascatie. Captain Ross, will be despatched as above on the 9th Instant.

For Freight, apply to ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Hongkong, March 2, 1891.

Sailing Vessels.

FOR NEW YORK. The 3/3 L.1.1. American Ship The 3/3 L.1.1. American Ship
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CROSEY, Master, will load here
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FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

The 3/3 L.I.I. American Ship

RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, January 15, 1891.

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Hongkong, August 30, 1889.

Hongkong, February 27, 1891.

Hongkong, February 28, 1891

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Bergt. J. TENNANT (Instructor to the Olub) as isted by the hest ATRIETES the Lorne Athletic Club (A. &S. Highlanders), TO BE HELD IN THE THEATRE ROYAL, CITY HALL.

TO-NIGHT, TUESDAY, 3rd March, 1891, commencing at 9 p.m.

Patrons: - Has Excellency SIR GEORGE WILLIAM DES VŒUX, K.C.M.G.; HIS EXCELLENCY MAJOR-GENERAL G. DIGBY BARKER, C.B.; COMMODORE OHUROH, R.N.

By kind permission of COLONEL CHATER and the Officers of the Regiment, the BAND of the A. & S. Highlanders will give SELECTIONS, during the

PROGRAMME:

1.-Grand March of the Gladiators. 2.—Bayonet Exercise. 3.-Parallel Bars Exercise. 4.-Fencing (Final Hent). 5.-Indian Club Exercises. 6.-Light Weight Boxing (Final Heat). 7.—Hornpipe. 8:—Rings.

9.-Horizontal Bar Exercises. 10.-Heavy Weight Boxing (Final Heat). 11.—Highland Fling. -- 12.—Quarter Staff. 13.-Vaulting Horse Exercises.

14. - 'The Rough's Riot or the Morry Môle6.' GOD SAVE THE QUEEN. Prices of Admission:

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Hon, Sec., Victoria Recreation Club. Hongkong, March 3, -1891.

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To-day's Advertisements.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

T is hereby notified for Public information that or and after SATURDAY the 7th Instant, and until further Notice the WATER will be Shur off from the whole City between the hours of 10 a.m. and 6 p.m., and between the hours of p.m. and 6 a.m.

By Command, W. M. DEANE, Acting Colonial Secretary. COLONIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE, Hongkong, 3rd March, 1891.



No. 1165. THE Emergency MEETING called for THURSDAY, the 5th Instant, has been POSTPONED till FRIDAY, the 6th Inst., Bt 8.30 for 9 p.m. precisely. VISITING BRE-THREN are cordially invited to attend.

Hongkong, March 3, 1891. GLEN LINE OF STEAM PACKETS. FOR MARSEILLES AND LONDON,

VIA SUEZ CANAL. The Steamship Glenartney, Captain Brass, will be despatched as above on THURSDAY, the 5th Instant, at Noon. This Steamer has superior Accommodation for Passengers, and carries a Doctor

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Hongkong, March 3, 1891.

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Hongkong, March 3, 1891

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STEAM TO SHANGHAL The P. & O. S. N. Co. 2 - Steamship Oapt. E. STRWART, Will leave for the above place at Daylight TO: MORROW, the 4th Instant, instead of as previously advertised.

E. L. WOODIN.

Superintendent. P. & O. S. N. Co. s Office, Hougkong, March 3, 1891.

THE CHINA SHIPPERS' MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGATION COM-PANY, LIMITED.

FOR SHANGHAI, KOBE AND

үоконама. The Co.'s Steamship . C. H. KEMP, Comm'der, will be despatched as

above TO-MORROW, the 4th Instant, at For Freight, apply to

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co., Agents. Hongkong, March 3, 1891.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL. The Co.'s Steamship Capt. Thomrson, will be MORROW, the 4th Instant, at 4 p.m.

BUTTERFIELD & SWIKE. Agents_ Hongkong, March 3, 1891.

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C O N C E R

will be given TO MORROW, the 4th of March, in the Sr. Andrew's Hall, by OFFICERS AND MEN from the GERMAN

SQUADRON, assisted by Several Local AMATEURS, for the Benefit of The Berlin Foundling Hospital.

PROGRAMME: L.—Hochzeitsmarsch aus dem Sommermehtstraum, ... Mendelssohn-Bartholdy. 2.—Romanze vorgetragen von Lieut. z. See Kredel,.....Rubinstein.

3. -- Unter-Officier-Gesangchor --(a.) Waldabendschein, Schmölzer. (b.) Sonnige Welt, Dauben. 4. - Ouverture zar Oper 'Don Juan,' Mozart. 5.-Romanze vorgetragen von Herrn von Wille,Becker!

6.—Ständchen,.....Spindler. 7.-Fantasio aus der Oper Lohengrin,......Wagner. 8, _Cmoll-Polonaiso vorgetragen von

9. -Unter-Officier-Gesangehor-

(b.) Die Thräne, Hitt. 10. —Lagunen Walzer,Strauss. Tickets at \$2 each can be secured at KELLY & WALSH and KRUSE & Co., Queen's Road, and at the Doors on the Night of the

(a.) Würzburger Stützemmarsch, Becker

Performance. To commence at 9.15 o'Clock p.m. Hougkong, March 3, 1891.

THE CHINA SHIPPERS MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGATION COM-PANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. FROM LONDON, LIVERPOOL AND

SINGAPORE. THE Company's Steamship Copack, having arrived from the above Ports, Formesa, for Swatow, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed | Femples, for Kobe. that their Goods are being landed at their Chiyuen, for Whampon. risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Severn British cruiser, for Amoy. KOWLOON WHARF AND GODOWN COMPANY, Oriental, for Shanghai.

No Claims will be admitted after the Cheang Chew, for Amoy. Goods have left the Godowns, and all Claims must be sent in to the OFFICE of the Undersigned, before Noon on the 10th Instant, or they will not be recognized. All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods Telemachus, for Shanghai. are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 10th last., at 4 p.m. No Fire Insurance has been effected, and any Goods remaining in the Godowns after | Thra Chula Chom Klao, for Swatow. the 10th Inst. will be subject to rent.

be obtained.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before 4 p.m. To-DAY. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co., Hongkong, March 3,1891.

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Contain G. HRUERMANN. will be despatched for the above Port on THURSDAY, the 5th Inst. at 4 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to

SIEMSSEN & Co. 431 For SAIGON. Hongkong, March 3, 1891.

SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS. March 3, 1891 :-

Glenartney. - British steamer. 1,943, P Brass, Kobe (Japan) February 27, General. -JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. Bengal, British steamer, 2,377, W. Barratt, Shanghai February 28, Mails and

General. -P. & O. S. N. Co. Oopack, British etcamer, 1,730, C. Kemp, Liverpool January 20, and Singapore Feb. 25, General. - ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co. Lycemoon, German steamer, from Whain-

Diamond, British steamer, 1,031, Alex. Snow, Penang February 20, and Singapore 23. General.—BAN MOH & Co. Michael Jebsen, German steamer, 710, J

C. Matthiessen, Saigon February 16, Rice. -Wieler & Co. Tai Yick, German steamer, 902, Emke, Saigon February 26, Rice.-MEYER & Co. Kitty, Briti h barque. 840, H. Wilson. Singapore January 31, 3 p.m., Timber.

CLEARED.

PASSENGERS.

ARRIVED.

kong, Mesers E. A. Probst, A. J. Jeckson,

Lenny Chook Po, (3) Misses Carions and

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2 infauts and amah, 6 Seamon Royal Navy

(Contract Passengers), and 8 Chinese; for

London via Marseilles, Mr and Mrs David

Brand, 2 children, 2 infants and 2 amahs,

Per Copack, from Singapore, 349 Chinese.

Per Tai Xick, from Saigon, 7 Chinese.

Per Kilty, from Singapore, Mrs Wilson

DEPARTED.

Per Formosa, for Swatow, 40 Chinese.

Per Cheung Chew, for Amoy, 120 Chinese.

Per Telemachus, for Shanghai, 6 Euro-

TO DEPART.

SHIPPING REPORTS.

The British steamer Glevarincy reports

Diemen's Straits ; thence to port, light to

moderate winds, with rain and dull cloudy

The British eteamer Conack reports:

Had light variable winds and fine weather

to Paracels; thence to port, fresh S.E. and

The British steamer Diamond reports:

The British Parque Kitty reports: Had

moderate monsoon with occasional squalls.

POST OFFICE NOTICES.

Per Phra Chula Chom Klao, at 8.30 a.m.

on Wednesday, the 4th March.

Per Niobe, at 9.30 a.m., on Wednesday,

the 4th inst, instead of as previous-

MAILS will close:-

For SINGAPORE-

ly notified.

FOR SWATOW & BANGKOK.

Mrs Wugrove, 2 children; I infant and

amah, and Mr T. B. Cromer.

(Captain's wife).

Per Bengal, from Shanghai; for Hong-

Riversdale, for Nagasaki.

Yungching, for Shanghai.

Edendale, for Kutchinotzu.

Daphne, for Yokohama.

Benlaria, for Kobe.

be despatched on THURSDAY, the 5th March, with Mails for the United Kingdom, Europe, and countries be-DEPARTURES. youd, wid Brindisi; to the Straits March 3:-Settlements, Nethorlanda India, Bur-Egeria, British gunboat, for Sandakan. mah, Ceylon, Aden, Egypt, Malta, and Fushim, for Whampoa. Gibraltar. The usual hours will be observed in closing the Mails &c. LIMITED, Kowloon, whence delivery may | Cheang Hyc Teng. for Sing spore.

MAILS BY THE UNITED STATES PACKET.-The United States Mail Packet City of Riode Janeiro will be desputched on TUES DAY, the 10th March, with Mails for Japan, San Francisco, the United States, Canada, Honolulu, Peru, &c. which will be closed as follows:-

POST OFFICE NOTICES.

Por Devaucond, at 9.30 a.m., on Wednes-

Per Daphue at 11.30 a.m., on Wednes-

Per Yung Ching, at 3.30 p.m., on Wed-

Per Polluz, at 5 p.m., on Wednesday,

Per Fokien, at 5 p.m., on Wednesday,

Per Bormida, at 11.30 a.m., on Friday,

For NAGASAKI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA

For TIMOR, PORT DARWIN, THURS

DAY ISLAND, COUKTOWN,

CAIRNS, TOWNSVILLE, BRIS-

BANE SYDNEY, MELBOURNE,

Por Menmuir, at 3.3) p m., on Friday,

Per Muscotte, on Monday, the 9th inst.

Per Nizum, at 11.30 a.m., on Wednesday,

The British Contract Packet Bengal will

Per Ancona, at 11.30 a.m., on Friday,

nesday, the 4th inst, instead of as

the 4th inst., instead of as previous-

MAILS will close:-

day, the 4th inst.

For YOKOHAMA & KORE.—

day, the 4th inst.

previously notified.

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the 4th inst.

the 6th March.

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For NEW YORK VIA SUEZ .-

For STRAITS & BOMBAY .-

the 11th March.

MATLS BY THE BRITISH PACKET .-

&c. &c.-

For STRAITS & BOMBAY:-

For SWATOW.

For BANGKOK.

For SHANGHAL .--

15 P.M. Registry ceases. .30 P.M. Post Office closes, but Corres. pondence may be posted on board the Packet with Lute Fee of 7 cents extra Postage, until the time of departure.

WAILS BY THE FRENCH PACKET. -The French Contract Packet Caledonien will be despatched on WEDNESDAY. the 11th March, with Mails for the United Kinghom, Europe, and places be- RUM. yond, vid Murseilles; to Saigon, Straits Settlements, Batavis, Burmah, Ceylon, the Australasian Colonies, Pondichery, Madras, Calcutta, Aden, Mauritius, LIQUEURS. Egypt, Malta, and Gibraltar.

The usual hours will be observed in

closing the Muils, &c.

AILS BY THE GERMAN PACKET. --Per Diamond, from Penang, 587, Chi- The German Contract Packet Neckar will be despatched on SATURDAY, the 14th March; with Mails for the United Kingdom, Europe and countries beyond, vid Brindisi; to the Straits Settlements, Batavia, Burmah, Ceylon, India, Aden, Egypt, Malta,

> legistry centes at 4.45 P.M. The Mail closes at 5 P.M. A Supplementary Mail will be closed on Sunday the 10th March, at 9 s.m.

General Memoranda. Tavesday, March 5 :--

gam. - Opening of Victoria College. Goods per Steamer Salezie unclaimed after Whom sinlect to temp FRIDAY, March 6:-4 p.m. - Meeting of Shareholders of Tho Green Island Cement Co., Ltd., at the

General Managers' Offices. 9 p.m. - Meeting of Perseverance Lodge, Transfer Books of The China Sugar Refining Company, Limited, closed from this date of 2lat Instant, inclusive. SATURDAY, March 7:--

the Company's Offices, Pedder's Street. Rifle Association. Goods for Dophas undelivered after this Marine Ufficers Association.

Hongkony Fire Insurance Co., Ltd. Jat

Tuesday, Marchald :Goods per Oupput undelivered after this date subject to rent Transfer Books of The Trust & Loan Company of China, Japan & Straits, Ltd., closed from this date to 19th Instant, inclusive.

Shipping. Daylight -Oriental leaves for Shanghai

MEMOS. FOR TO-MORROW.

9 a.m. - Phra Chula Chom Klao leaves for Bangkok, &c. 10 a.m. - Dapline leaves for Japan. Noon. - Copack leaves for Shanghai, &c. -4 p.m :- Nestor leaves for London.

Auctions. 2 p.m. -- Auction of Household Furniture, &c., at the Residence of Miss Rows, London Mission, Bonham Road. Amusements.

9.15 p.m .- Concert at St. Andrew's Hall.

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D Very Fine Old Vintage, extra superior. Violet Capsule (Old Bottled) . . . 18 SHERRIES A Delicate Pale Dry, dinner wine. Green Capsule . . 6 B Superior Pale Dry, dinner wine, Green Seal Capsule O Marzanilla, Pale Natural

Sherry, White Capsule . 10 CO Superior Old Dry, Pale Natural Sherry, Red Seal D Very Superior Old Pale Dry, choice old Wine. White Seal Capsule . 12 E Extra Superior Old Pale Dry, very finest quality.

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C St. Julien . D La Rose Per doz. Case. Per Bot. BRANDY. A Hennessy's Old Pale, Red . \$12 \$1.10 Capsule . B Superior Very Old Cognac, Red Capsule C Very Old Liqueur Cognac, Red Capsulo

D Hennessy's Finest Very Old Liqueur Cognac, 1872 Vintage, Red Capsule . 24 2.00 SCOTCH WHISKY. A Thorne's Blend, White Capsulo ... B Watson's Gienerchy Mel-

low Blend, Blue Capsule, with Name and Trade Mark. C Watson's Abelour-Gienlivet, Red Capsule, with Name and Trade Mark D Watson's H K D Blend of

the Finest Scotch Malt Whiskies, Violet Cap-E Watson's Very Old Liqueur Scotch Whisky, GoldCap-

IRISH WHISKY. A John Janicson's Old, Green B John Jameson's Fine Old, Green Capsule . C John Jameson's Very Fine Old, Green Capagle . . 12 GENUINE BOURDON WILLERY. fine old, Red Capsule.

A Fine Old Tom, White Capgnle : B Fine Uniwestened, White C Fine A. V. H. Geneva ...

Finest Old Jamaica, Violet Good Leeward Island \$1.50 per Gallon. Benedictine Maraschino

Heering's Cherry Cordial Curacoa Bitters, &c. EST The publication of this issue commence

The China Linit.

HONGKONG, TUESDAY, WARCH 3, 1891.

THE Gambling Bill now before the Legis lative Council is undoubtedly a great improvement on the existing law of the Colony. There are, speaking generally, two kinds of gambling -private and public. Noon - Meeting of Shareholders of The the exception of two or three American As well license that.

directly assumes a public character, when that when there has been a relaxation in one person endeavours to load others nat my the enforcement of the law against gamand to profit thereby, the law should step holing, inperfect as is the law, the evil has in to protect society and maintain order. sprend operatously. The great develop-The English legislature has mainly been ment of so-called clubs two years or so ago guided by this principle in dealing with is a proof of this. Abolish all gambling gaubling and such other so-called pri- laws and Hongkong would become a govate vices as prostitution and drinking. lienns. Robberies and murders would in-And it is chiefly because the Bill before the crease; fureigners would be plundered by Council draws a sharper distinction between their servants, and the place would soon public and private gambling, that we consi- become uninhabitable. It is not a very der it a great improvement on the existing comforting reflection that we are just able law. The principal clause in the whole to keep gambling from spreading, that we bill, the one to which all others are subsi- can do little to uproof it, but the legisladiary, is the clause which defines a common ture must be content with the modest role gaming house. The significance of the de- of restraint and leave the uprootal to time finition there given does not seem to have and the spread of true education. If some been realised by any of the critics of the one would try to provide healthy amusemeasure. Even the Governor is a little at ment for the Chinese in the way of magic sea in the matter; for in his speech at last lantern exhibitions and such like, more meeting of Council he said that playing might be done to counteract the evil than whise for sixpenny points might, under the the law can accomplish; but as long as the Bill, be held to be illegal, and that a billiard | passion for gambling remains the necessity club of which one of the rules was that the of making the indulging thereof as difficult loser should pay for the table might be con- and as dangerous as possible will remain. stituted unlawful. Now, according to the Another favourite argument on the part of definition clause we referred to, it is those who oppose the new gambling law is necessary before a game of chance or mixed | that it will lead to further attempts to chance and skill comes within the law, that corrupt the police. If the Government a bank be kept by one or more of the players allowed such a plea to deflect them from exclusively of the other or others, or that their duty they might as well throw over the charces be not ' slike favourable to all the Colony to thieves and pirates. Their Orders through Local Post or by Tele- the players including among the players duty is not to abandon laws because stilthe banker or other person by whom the doers attempt to corrupt the police but to game is managed or against whom the play- take measures to combat and stamp out ers stake, play or bot. It seems to us that corruption. this clause entirely excludes private games of the kind mentioned by His Excellency. 1.10 The great difference between a private game and public gambling lies in this, that in the one case, if there are money stakes, the chances are equal to all, the play being for amusement, whereas in the other case the game is conducted by a person who charges a commission and who is bound by the law of probabilities to earn money, who in fact carries on the business for the purpose of making money. Under the existing law, a gambling house may be conducted under the guise of a Club with 1.00 | unlimited membership; and as long as the general public are not admitted, gambling 1.10 of the worst kind may be carried on to an unlimited extent. There may be flaws in the new definition, and we hope it will be closely scrutinised, but it seems to us to gambling or gambling for profit, the gambling which it is the duty of the Government to endeavour to suppress. The

include the essential characteristics of public grammatical construction of the definition is certainly susceptible of considerable improvement. Any game of chance or any mixed game of chance and skill in which any game is played the chances of which are' &c. may have a meaning, but it is not Haglish.

We discussed at some length the various

sections of the new Bill whon it first appeared, and there is no need to go over the same ground again. The most defective The Canadian Pacific steamer Parthia left clause is, we think, clause 3, which seems to afford an opportunity for driving the proverbial coach and four through the whole ordinance. The clause sets forth 8 0.75 that a place shall be deemed to be opened, kept or used as a common gaming house or for the purpose of a lottery when gambling is one of the main and principal objects for which the place is open. Now, suppose a . 10 1.00 police officer enters a Chinese club and finds gambling going on, and suppose the 12 1.10 keeper alleges that the game is merely an incidental affair, that a few friends had come to see him. that the game was started solely for their amusement, and that such 10 1.00 a thing did not occur more than once a month in his club, how is the officer to A Government notification appourses that disprove the statements and how is he to on and after Saturday, 7th inst., and until show that gambling is one of the main and further notice, the water will be shut off principal objects for which the place is from the whole city between the hours of opened? The clause is, we believe, a 10 s.m. and 6 p.m., and between the hours 4.50 0.40 mistaken application of a decison given by of 9 p.m. and 6 a.m. Mr Justice Hawkins in a well-known 5.25 0.50 English case. It is totally unnecessary and Ir is notified in Saturday's Gazette that we hope it will bestruck out. There are consequent on the departure of the Hon. doubtless defects in other clauses, some of F. Fleming, C.M.G., on six months leave, which may be rectified when the Bill is His Excellency the Governor has made considered in committee, while others may the following appointments :- Hon. W. M. not be discovered until the law is put Deane, C.M.G., to be Acting Colonial Se-Chartreuse Dr. Siegert's Angostura into operation. It is impossible to con- cretary; Mr George Horspool to be Acting struct a perfect ordinance, and the diffi- Captain Superintendent of Police. culty in dealing legislatively with such an ovil as gambling is enormous. The large class of brokens whose business As soon as a law is passed, gamblers set premises are the side-walks of Queen's Road, themselves to find means of evading it, and Central in the neighbourhood of the Clock fresh measures are rendered necessary. Tower, have got a peremptory order to But the Bill, with all its defects, is a con- move on in a recently published police nosiderable improvement on the gristing law tification. The notice states that whereas and not the least of its merits is its like- it appears that the side paths of Queen's

ness to the most recent Home Acts. have already dealt with. It is a disguised gating in numbers and standing or lollering attempt to induce the Government to li- thereon so as to throng and obstruct such cense gambling, or what the petitioners thoroughfares to the annoyance of those In the one case a number of persons, pre- called legal gambling, which is the name desirous of ligitimately using the same, sumably friends or acquaintances, Join in a given by them to the gambling carried on the obstructionists are warned that the game in which the chances are equal or by swell Chinamen in their big rich clubs. | Captain Superintendent of Police will not proportionate to the skill; in the other case Their request, it goes without saying, can- stand this kind of thing my longer, and is certain parties open a club of saloon for the not be entertained. It has been so conclus therefore determined to put his foot down purpose of inducing all and sundry to gam. laive proved that the licensing of gambling in the manner prescribed by Ordinance 10 ble, and they enrich themselves by the is a ruinous policy that no attempt will of 1869. commission charged on the game. With ever be made in Hongkong to revert to it.

States, no legislature has attempted to deal - It has been said- With all your gam-3.30 p.m. -Competition of the Hongkong with private gambling, and the attempts bling laws you have not been able to sup. and some territory in the Malay Peninsula. that have been made in America have been press gambling, which is as rampant in the phancoessful. The only effective remedies Colony as ever. You might as well have 9 p.m - Meeting of British Mercanile are of the moral and religious order. A had had no laws. This is a very stupid that they may even take possession of the higher moral tone, improved social relationpinion. Laws have been in force territory themselves, spices France, in tions and a healther public opinion are the lagarest theft since ever human soinfluences by which this and all vices of a ciefy was formed, and yet thieves Siam, which is conterminous with her ferriprivate character are checked. Opinional still abound. The truth is laws do tory along an extensive frontier line, may widely differ as to the limits of beneficent little more than check the aprend of crime, the object of epatring respect for the State interference, but the broad principle ! The diminution thereof is mainly due to status quo.

is generally recognised that when vice other influences. Experience has shown

TELEGRAMS.

(From the N.-O. Daily News.)

THE ISSUE OF SMALL NOTES. London, 25th February.-Mr Goschen says that the silver held to cover the tenshilling notes will not exceed the amount required to pay the notes in silver. The remainder of the note issue will be secured partly in gold and partly in silver, and the notes will only be legal tender for the same amount as coin.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

PASSED SURZ CINAL UTWARD BOUND :- Brand, Ameers. Feb. 6: Dardanus, Donar, Bernicia, 10 : Glenmorren, 13; Brecomhire, Chingwo, Glaucus, 17; Delta; Aglaia, 20; Glenfruin, Prometheus, Sachsen, Empress of India, 24; Malwa, Moyune, Maria Te esa, Oceana, 27.

MEWARD BOUND :- Bellerophon. Feb 6 Palamed, 13; Brindui, Laertes, Melbourne, 17; Palinurus, 20; Benlawers. Resperia, Pakling, 24 Anchises, Glen-

e P. M. S. S. Co.'s a. a City of Rio de Janeiro, with the AMERICAN MAIL of Feb. 6th left Yokohama on Monday. 2nd March, at 6 p.m., and may be expected here on or about Sunday, the Sth March.

he Canadian Pacific a. s. Abyssinia, from Vaucouver, left Yokonama for Hongkong via ports on Feb. 18th.

Vancouver for Japan, &c., on the 18th The Canadian Pacific s. s. Empress of India left England on the 8th Feb., and may be expected here on or about March

the P. and O. Co.'s steamship Teheran left Singapore on February 26, and may be ex, ected here on or about March o. he Glen Line steamship Glenfalloch, from London, left Singapore on March 1st.

and may be expected here on or about March 7. The D. D. R. s. s. Bellong left Singapore on March 2, and may be expected here on

or about March 8. The P. & O. steamship Thibet left Bombay for this port on 21st Feb., at 9 a.m.

Road Central and of Polder's Street are The Chinese petition against the Bill we frequently obstructed by persons congre-

> REFERRING to the statement of the Times that Germany is endearousing to obtain from the King of Starn a session of a portthe Sicce to day expresse the consiction that the British will oprous such a grant as imperiling their interest, and pelieres. consequence of her interest in the maintenunce of the integrity of the kingdom of be called upon to intersene amicably with

THE Home and Colnial News says :- Double are now expressed in official circles Rodger put in a series of lightning-like THE PROS AND CONS OF THE CHI. China is sadly worsted in the tea outpeti. whether the new Nanking Vicercy will go blows, and just before time was called in the tion by India and Cylon. The exports to Shkughai in person to meet the Czireof ton show a falling of 6 per cent; witch, a duty which would be far from conagainst the corresponding quarter of last genial to his ago and habits. It is also now

Ir was stated recently that the steamers Fujio had grounded in the Inland Sea owing to the creet on shortly before of a light, of which no notice had been given. at Motoyama. The Chief Commissioner of Bighthouses in Japan now writes to say that there is no lighthouse on Motovams. and no light has been erected or changed without proper notice

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Ir is understood that Mr Goschen's proposal. to authorise the issue of £1 notes will meet with no opposition on the ground of principle from the Gladatonian leaders. It is stated that Sir William Harcourt was seriously considering the advisability of introducing a similar scheme when he was Chancellor of the Exchanger in 1880, and that had the L beral Government remained in office he would have brought the matter before the House.

THE Shanghai Mercury of Thursday last says : - The China Navigation steamer | Lieur weight soxino - A. H. Chandler v. Nanchang, whilst coming up the river from-Boyd's New Dock in tov of the tug Fuhlce. this afternoon, ran into the s. s. Cam, which was lying at anchor off the Dock. The Cass. paid out all her chain cable to avoid the mishap, but in this endeavour both she and the Nandang got foul of the barque Walter Sciofried. The Cass lost her gangway ladder, but beyond this, little further damage was done.

RECENT Peking Gazettes contain decrees ordering that the Emporor's mother, the widow of Prince Ch un, is to receive the full salary drawn by her late husband, while the Emperor's three brothers are made respectively a Prince of the first order, an Imperial Duke of the first degree, and an Imperial Duke of the second A temple is to be built in honour of the late Prince Ch'un on the piece of ground lately conferred on him, and the rites to be observed there are to be the same as these in honour of an Emperor.

THE United Service Gozette says: - A topic of much conversation in mayal circles has been the order issued by the Admiralty requesting all British officers, serving in the Chinese Navy under the regulations by which they are permitted to do so while retaining mak in our own Service, to resign at the earliest opportunity, and to return to England to take up their commissions here. Their lordships assign no reason for taking this step, but it is not doubted that it is the outcome of the extraordinary conduct of the Chinese Government towards Admiral Ling. The authorities could hard- | heat, ly be expected to calmly submit to such an unwarrantable procedure, or to risk a repetition of such an insult to the Service.

Much interest attaches to the case of Mr. Hearson, on his way home under arrest for having left Her Majesty's Service to join the Chinese Navy without awaiting the acceptance of his resignation by the Admiraty. The feeling is, says a naval contemporary, that he was justified in expecting that the resignation would be granted as a matter of course. An extraordinary report is current, that his formal-resignation went astray in the Chief Engineer's Office at the Admiralty. Should this be so, it would, indeed, be hard that he should in any-way suffer. Mr Hearson is by many thought to be ill-advised if, as is reported, he intends to appeal to the Court of Queen's Bench to decide whether the Admiralty could refuse to accept his resignation. The position would be a curious one were the Court to uphold that it was within its a left-hander on Robinson's ear. An atprovince to issue a mandamus calling upon the Admiralty to show good cause why they should not accept an officer's resignation.

In Deli and the neighbouring districts, of late many Chinese coolies have entered into ongagements for service in North Borneo. They go to their destination by way of Siggapore, and when the steamer from Deli with labour freight on board reaches that port, another steamer comes alongside to take over the passengers for Borneo. This causes a tremendous stir. as the cooles often raise objections to transhipment, and find it preferable to spand a little time at Singapore. Some say they will not go to Borneo, others stand out that they have not contracted to labour there. In the ond gentle force has to be used to get them shoard the sleamer waiting for the fellows, and blows are sometimes freely resorted to in bringing the coolies to Occasionally fighting ensues with the result that, in one instance, the master and the first engineer of a steamer were wounded. To prevent such scenes it has now been determined that labour consignments to Borneo from Deli shall not exceed fifty coolies each, and that each batch must be accompanied by a European. The Deli Courant deems this precaution inadequate. It points out that European passengers run into much danger in these rows on board ship, and that, in the confusion. Uninese coolies who had not contracted for work in Borneo might be embarked for that country. That journal advises Borneo planters to import their coolies from Deli in direct. steamers, as the best way to prevent these troubles.

THERE Was a well-to-do young man in Ningpo some time ago who loved a young girl, the daughter of one of his neighbours. madly. But the maiden was engaged to another man, and though the suitor in question besought the perents of the girl to break off the match, they would not, and laughed at the infatuated fellow's absurd proposal. The hapless young man loved the girl to distraction, and seeing that he must forever give up all hope of marrying her, he straightway lost his mind and became crazy, His madness was not of a violent nature. about the lown at will nobody interfering with a telling face blow by Wark. with him aslong as he did no harm. But one day he saw a coffic in a doorway, and seized by some crary impulse, he rushed up to it, mined to make things a good wrenched up the lid and crawled in beside livelier, and he certainly succeeded, and all who have assisted him, the thanks the silent compant, the body of a young girl who had died a few hours before. In this gruesome couch the poor madmin fell but he did not neglect his opportunities for asleep. By and by, when the relatives of he got in a few effective blows. Wark was the dead girl came to carry her coffin to the grave they were astounded to see a man lying beside her. Their france yells soon brought crowds to the place and the uproar that speedily ensued had the effect of putting an end to the sleeper's quiet slumbers, and he cat up and looked about him in a deted sort of manner. Then the rage of the people knew no bounds. They seised the unfortunate man and heat him unmercifully, and would soon have made a corpse of him had not some of his friends happened luckily to be passing that way. When they explained matters to the neigh- | ing punishment and his readiness to take bours and friends of the dead girl, the unatio was let go without further molesta-

and that if he does come he will be louged at the Temple of the Queen of Heaven on the Socchow Crick .- N. C. Daily News.

VICTORIA RECREATION CLUB. BOXING AND FENCING COMPETITIONS.

Quite a large crowd assembled at the Gymnasium of the Victoria Recreation Club yesterday evening to see the preliminary heats in the competitions in boxing and forcing the finals of which form part Theatre Royal this evening. The somewhat lengthy programme of events was followed with much interest. Mr C. B. Thompson, Lieut. Grant and Staff-Sorgeant Tennant were judges of the boxing, and the foncing was judged by Liout. Col. Jerrard and Captain Henderson, Mr James Sampson was timekeeper.

F. Robinson.

Chandler's advantage in weight was more than outweighed by Robinson's superiority in reach and quickness. The opening, round consisted chiefly of light sparring and there was a fair give and take the start. Towards the end of the round Robinson, having apparently made estimate of his opponent's defensive powers, became more aggressive and succeeded in putting in a series of emartly delivered and well placed face Chandler managing to get in several effective blows in the meanwhile. In the second round Chandler opened the ball by getting in a couple of good lar:body blows. After this there was a warm interchange of blows, in which Robinson's quickness and his excellent defence gave him the advantage. Before the round closed both men were in want of a reat, the work having been pretty warm. They came up quite fresh, however, for the final round. Chandler again onened out with an effective body blow, to which Robinson responded with a couple of blows on the neck and face. From this point Robinson had decidedly the advantage, and he was declared the winner of the

E. Robinson

LIGHT WEIGHT BOXING, second heat, Ri-

chardson v. C. Robinson. Richardson had a considerable advantage over his opponent in height. The first round opened with very cautious sparring on both sides, Richardson getting in the first blow, a light one, on the jaw, to which Robiuson responded with a heavy body blow. This Robinson repeated several times, ducking forward and taking nearly all his opponent's blows on the top of his head. In the second round Robinson rushed in and got in a couple of good body blows. Richardson stood on the defensive till after another body blow his opponent when he responded with tempt to repeat this was cleverly ped. There was some very smart play on both sides at the beginning of the third round, with a good deal of give and take. A little quiet sparring followed, Richardson showing a decided distinction to take any further punishment. Robinson made It did not seem honest to ask for Subscrip a rush before which his opponent retreated and took a heavy body blow followed by dition. one on the jaw. In response Richardson put in an effective face blow just as time was called. Richardson, to the surprise of many, if not of most, of the spectators was declared the winner of the heat.

Richardson

FENCING, First Heat .- H. Slade v. Lieut Steward.

This event was soon decided. Although Steward managed to score the first hit he ty play had no difficulty in afterwards hitting his opponent five times in rapid succes-

HEAVY WEIGHT BOXING .- First Heat, J. M. Laing v. W. Wark.

The men were somewhat unequally matchel, Wark being a good deal beavier than his opponent, as well as having an advant- will be many English boys here who need age in height. Wark opened the ball by getting in two light blows. Then followed a little give and take of light blows, after which Wark got in one on Laing's wind which attered the complexion of things a Laing got in one fairly effective blow on his opponent's jaw after this, but he devoted himself chiefly to avoiding thanks to the Subscribers for their kind punishment. In the second round Laing maintained the same careful attitude. few blows however were exchanged in the close. Good work has been done by means the third round Wark seemed Laing got somewhat severely punished declared the winner of the heat.

W. Wark.

LIGHT WEIGHT BOXING. - A Rodger o H. J.

This heat was a foregone conclusion, for Rodger who had a great advantage over his opponent, and the chief feature of the event was the plack which Gedge showed in talk advantage of every opportunity that offered to get a blow in. From the commencement neath contempt. Somerville journal.

first round he knocked his opponent over the ropes. The second and third round were pretty much the same as the first. and Rodger was declared the winner of the

A. Rodger LIGHT WEIGHT BOXING.—Fourth Heat. Richardson v. E. Robinson.

Richardson's advantage in weight and reach stood him in good stond in this heat. At the beginning of the first round Robinson contented himself with standing on the defensive, and very cleverly stopped several blows before Richardson got in one on the ear. After a well-delivered body blow by of the entertainment to be given at the Robinson in reply there, was some free hitting on both sides. The second round opened with a lively interchange of blows and the work was pretty warm up to the call of time. In the third round most of the work was done by Richardson ; Robinson, however, made a very plucky and skilful defence and put in a few effective blows. Richardson won. Richardson

HEAVY WEIGHT BOXING, -SOCON Heat, &

Rodger v Lieut, Steward, Rodger found a good doal harder work in this event than in the light weigh competition, owing to Staward's superior weight and strength. However he was able to 'walk round' Steward very cleverly, stopping or dodging the greater number of the heavy meant for him and in roturn getting in a very fair number of effective ones. Sloward made several rushes in which his physical advantages might have told severely against his opponent, but Rodger's alertness and skill saved him every time, and won him the heat. A. Rodger

HONGKONG PUBLIO SCHOOL

IN MEMORIAN.

We have received the following circu

It is with sincers regret that the Committee of the Hongkong Public School are compelled to announce to Subscribers and Parents of pupils that the School must be closed on the 30th of June next. The following Statement, giving the rea

sons of this step, is submitted by the Com-In January, 1889, the Head Master's salary, in response to an application from him to the Committee, was raised, not withstanding the serious loss to the School of Mrs Bateman's services at the end of 1888. and it was also determined to hand over to the Head Master whatever portion of th Government Grant should fall to the School in addition to his own share. A second Master was at the same time engaged from England, partly because of the retirement of Mrs and Miss Bateman and partly in the hope that by this step the School would attract more pupils. The total am unt for which the Committee thus became remnaible was \$4,800 for yearly mlaries and house allowances alone. Unhappily, instead of an increase of supils, the number actually decreaset. This was attributed by Mr Bateman at the beginning of last year (1894) to the opening of Victoria College with its attractive quarters and large stiff of Teachers, and the raising of the efficiency of other schools in the Colony. All these schools charge smaller fees than the Pub ic School could afford to ask. If an increase was to come to the Public School, it mus come from the class with whom small fees are an important consideration. In 1889. therefore, while the income both from fees and denations was smaller than in 1888. the expenditure was so large that the Treasurer was compelled to draw \$2,000 from

the Endowment Fund to meet it. Last year (1890) was the only year since the opening of the School when no Fub. scription List was sent round the Community. In the previous year (1889) the Subscriptions only amounted to \$932, and even this sum was collected with great difficulty. In 1890, had the list been sent round, subscriptions to the amount of \$1.100 or even \$1,500-a very unlikely figure to reach—could only have delayed he closing of the School by a few months tions from the Public for an Institution which was evidently in a moribund con-

The hope of the Committee has al ways been that the School would ultimately become self-supporting. It was for this purpose that an Endowment Fund was started and from time to time added to. It was hoped that by the help of the Government and private friends the School might have been established in a Home of its own with an efficient staff. Appeals to this end were made for about ten yours. At last in 1889 Mr Belilios most generous. ly offered to erect a suitable School Build. ling, and the Government was asked to grant a site on favourable terms. In consequence, however, of the withdrawal of was no match for Slade, who by very pret- | \$2,000 from the Endowment Fund mentioned above, it was not found possible with what was left of the Fund to purchase the site, and as from the numbers and the financial position of the School there seem. ed no hope of carrying out the promoted scheme or, of its ever becoming self-supporting. Mr Belilios' offer could not be

The Committee are painfully conscious that the closing of the School will be a rea loss to the Colony. There are and always such an education as this School has striven to give, and are not likely to obtain it in any other School in the Colony. The cost of efficiency is, however, too great for a School like our to meet, without continual and large supplies of help either from Goyernment or the Public or both. Tiese seem impossible, and therefore the School

muat clo e. The Committee offer their warment and generous help to the School during the last ten yours. The money expended has not been lost because the School is to of the money subscribed, and the estimov of the school during the last 5 years has been acknowledged freely by all. During these years the Public School has hid a marked and beneficial effect on education. in Hongkong. To Mr Bateman, therefore, of the Committee are due and are hereby publicly tendered.

On behalf of the Committee. J. S. Burdon, Bishop, Chairman, Hongkong, 10th February, 1801,

Ernet-How do I look in this dress Maud-Charming Llan't it wonderful how much a dress can do for one i Muney's

riggest liar in the House, the other day one of his companions remarked that he was a regular Goliah. THE man who does not sgree with you may be a very good fellow on general principles, but his opinions, you know, are be-

A NEW Name for Him. - Speaking of the

NESE NEW YEAR HOLIDAYS.

It is altogether probable that to the great m joilty of foreigners living in China. the Chinese New Year, with its inevitable concomitants, is felt to be a musance, which we would gladly abote if that were a poss bility. We like to do things at fixed times and to have those fixed times related to other fixed times. But to us, the lunar year seems a kind of modified chaos. one can ever foreson when the Chinese New Year is going to fall until he he scrutinised the calendar for that year. never know when an intercality month will be thrust in to upset all ordinary calcula-

We dislike the preparation for the Chinese New Year, we dislike the occasion itself, and we dislike the source, hecause of the noise, the idle visitors, the wearitome and to us unmeaning ceremony Before we can fairly judge of this holiday, however, we must take account of what it is and why it is. Stolid as -to a casual observer—the Chinese seem they are a highly sentimental people. Their New Year occupies in their mind'a position which in Western lands there is nothing at all analogous. It is the focal point the year, from which everything begins toward Which everything tends, in a sons not at all true in the West. It is the national birthday, and not to be able celebrate it is more than a misfortuneis almost a disgrace. The thelfth and the first moons are different from any other neriod of the Chinese year. Whey are the only months which are not talled by their ordinal numbers, and they differ as much from each other, as from the months which they precede and follow. The Chinese have always been noted as an industrious race, but during the last month of the year their is lustry assumes an entirely no shane. Schools suspend their sessions at some period during the month, and the terms of service of those who hire out by the year come to an end some weeks before the close of the yest. The large fairs if held in the 12th moon, are never so frequented as at that time, and the village markets are as crowded as the large fairs; by a throng of people who do not disperse until long after dark, a very unusual phenomenon. A casual glance at the Chinese anywhere toward the close of the twelfthmoon, suggests a stream of ants under stone. They are all engaged in one of three mutually correlated occupationsstruggling to find those who owe then money, in order to compel payment : engaged in evading or holding at bay those to whom they themselves one money, or else laying in articles with which to spend New Year. While at first sight there is in this a superficial similarity to the preparation made in Western lands for Christmas, the resemblance is superficial only. The Chinese are buying food, fuel, clothing, ornaments, toys, fireworks and Dictures. but each individual is purchasing for himself or forhis own family, and netto give away, There is nothing in China which remotely resembles our practice of Christmas gifts albeit presents of fruit are nominally exchanged on the 15th of the 8th moon Judging by the tromendous carnettness with which the preparations for spending t New Yoar are carried on, one would suppose that a snowstorm at least ten feet i depth was certainly foreknown, rendering all communication impossible. And if such a fall of snow were actually to take place the result could scarcely be a more complete interruption of business, that that caused by the poiseless transition from the 3 th of the last moon to the first day of the new year. Those who have not made t me, are as helpless as those Israelit in the desert who failed to gather the

Sabbath's manna on the previous day fact far more helpless, for the Jewish Sa bath lasted but four-and-twesty hours, while the Chinese markets are suspended with more or less completeness for at least half a month. The necessity for buying so much in advance, at the very time when all the year's accumulated debts must be rdingry Chinese households, and a fata burden upon all the proper people, wh contrive to scrape through this terrible period by shifts of which we have very little comprehension. When at last the year expires, it does so in the presence of hondreds of millions of Chinese, who witness the long-xpected advent of the New Year with what purports to be lioy. the same he real or fictitions. A long nigh of carousing is followed by calls as soon after day-break as possible, and in rura regions, every one personally visits the dumicile of every one class and makes the proper salutations. Customs very, but is only the younger that visit the clder generation, who are supposed to be at home in more or less state to receive to The caremonies are for the mon part merely

formal, and at the close of the day all those

of a younger generation, from each inch sant prostrutions, and k'otous have very sore section of the Government, but by the sponkness, and very lame backs. In the following days, friends visi friends, and it is held to to a solem ; obligation to make the rounds of one's accessible relatives, and salute their New Year: Not to do so, would be a moreor less acrious affront. Connections by marriage, who never meet at any other time, are thus at this season brought face to face and friendly sufficient activity in dangerous times. intercourse is continued to the gratification (Laughter). He replied that what was of all concerned. This is the bright side of the holiday. The seamy side is the labilities in foreign countries; and that the undesirable result of so much gorging with in one brief haif month, often following a a danger, and not a resource. On a late year of compulsory abstem to mess in food the great expense of so much entertaining that there were not sufficient bank reserves in such unintermittent succession; and the in the country. The liabilities of this vicious consequences of musented leisnre country sere to pay in gold, and its obligawitnessed in the universal practice of game tions, meant so much gold, which was an bling. This may be said to be almost at advantage that we should not forego; be much a national Chipere will as opium smoking, and is much more widely diffused, tent, the command of capital from abroad. It extends to all classes. from the very rich ! to the prorest of mortula and at the ide season, it is practised with the same impartiality as the devolting of dumplings | this placed us at some disadvantage, for Of the many vices which mankind practise, salthough we were the great gold market of there is scarcely one which is so incurable as the world, our available stock for immea confirmed maniafor gambling. The small dista usewas extremely small as compared est Chinese children are at he New Year with that of some other countries. When time made familiar with the siliculating ex. people wanted gold they came to London. citements, and it would be strange indeed. But it wate fallacy to suppose that therefore if when it is necessary to begin work once a premium should be put upon it to premore, they should drop such a fascinating went its export to other countries. Any practice. Hard-working and to patient a one with Bank of England notes could propeople as the Chinese, need all the holidays cond to the Bank and demand sovereigns. which they are likely to get, not to for them, and unless we had bimetallism. say more, but they ought to have them the acceptance of which he did not look distributed throughout the year. After upon as practically possible-(cheers)intense industry the action of idieness London would remain the centre to which THE BUDDEN DEATH OF MR WINDOM AT A through so long a period at the first half people would come for gold, and no of the first moon, and amply such vest premium could stop its export. He masses of people, is sure to be great, and it wanted to ask how lar was the rold which | Secretary of the Treasury, sipired anddenly can hardly be doubted that within the half. was circulated in the pookets of the people I last night at a banquet given by the New monther the Chinese national holiday, seeds when the origin came ; and whether it are annually sown which, in the mouths would not be better to have a portion of to come, will spring toto an abundans har that gold at the centre replaced possibly vest of ruin. There is one characteristic of Other forms of currency! Whether it the principal speaker of the evening. The the New Year festival which Westerness would not be batter to have more gold dinner, which began at six was finished may well regard with unmixed admiration, under the court of the country than the shortly after nine, when Mr Windom tose.

back again in the old rate. We often look with some anxiety. It ought to be lapted in his chair, his face presenting a altogether fail to enjoy ourselves, and we seen whether some methods could not be hastly appearance. A ory of horror arose. do not take a very high degree of pleasure devised in order to alleviate special emer- und an immediate rush was made towards in seeing other people struggling to enjoy genores, and at the same time to hold a the stricken man. Several doctors were themselves. We grow tired of the fatigue, the excitement and the effort of trying to for banking purposes, but for other post company not to crowd, round the sufferer. do and to be something out of the ordinary isble emergencies. line, and are glad enough to got home again. With the Chinese all is quite otherwise. They enjoy the New Years performance in anticipation, they enjoy them in the fulfilment, and they enjoy them in the retrospect. The Chinese, as we are fond of reminding ourselves and sometimes them, have much to learn from us. perhaps we have to learn from them mysterious secret of comparative content. --N. C. Daily News.

Work at the Rinb Australian Syndicate's property in Pating is progressing sat efactority. Mr Bibby, the mining manager during an interview with a Straits Cirnes re orter, said that the main portion of the labour is at present directed to driving a tunnel from the lattery to the Westorn lode, so as to let them run the sluff straight from the workings to the battery and thus avoid a second handling. Some dilay has been occasioned through the Ch nese New Year holidays, but, notwithstanding this, the tunnel is expected to be finished about a week from now. Since the last crushing the stamps have been lying idle, and the portion of the labour which is not engaged on the tunnel, is at work rulaing stone from the Raub hole. Already there are between 60 and 70 tons of quartz lying on the surface ready for treatment, so that when the tunnel is completed the stamps may at once begin to operate with a likelihood of there being a plentiful supply of stuff, as both lodes would then be in working order. In sink w ing an air shaft from the surface to the tunnel in the Western lude, a fine specimen of stone was struck

For sometime past the men have been opening new ground in the vicinity of the Ranh hele, in which, down to a depth of 150 ft., they did not come across any stuff particularly worth mentioning; but just boyond this they struck some very good leaders, which, practically in a new counry, shews very well. In the Rinb hole they have been getting a lot of water lately, but the pumping machinery has been able (and always will be able; providing there is not a flood) to cope with the water. Two exploring parties are at work in Bukit Malacca and Bukit Jelet getting fairly good prospects. Mr Bibby will return to the mine some time during this week.

MR GOSCHEN ON FINANCE AND BANKING

The following is a summary of the important speech made by Mr Goichen at

Leeds, taken from the Daily News :-Mr Goschen, replying to the toast of 'Her | public should not require the banking Majesty's Ministers,' sad he was anxious to speak upon the facilities of banking, the safe by the community at large. The question of currency, the attitude of this public, he thought, should have a right to country with regard to its normous liabi- demand the more frequent publication of lities, and the means which it had to accounts. Our gold reserve in this country discharge those liabilities in a manner I was generally insufficient, and our cash which should redound to the credit of the reserves were also insufficient. Though country. He doubted whether the public possibly violent fluctuations were univoidhad thoroughly realised the extent of the lable, he was not content to see them condanger to which what was called the Baring | tinue without considering whother some crisis had exposed the country. The li- mitigation could not be devised upon the abilities were so gigantic, the position of soundest and most orth dox principle. that house was so unique, that interests There was one point upon which he was were at stake far beyond in ividual for extremely strong, and that was that no tunes or the fortunes of a class. We were | means should be devised to alleviate the at the time of the occision referred to on situation which would mean the further exthe brink of a crisis through which it might | pulsion of gold. We should keep our 24 have been difficult for the soundest to pass | millions of money. It might be increased unscathed, and from which it would have to perhaps 26 millions of money. He been difficult for the wealthiest to have did not believe in any artificial increase escaped. The position of London as the of the currency. Men who leaned banking centre of the universe was risked, upon the increased issue of paper and we escaped from a catastrophe compared and who believed in the printing press with which that of Overend and Gurney as a means of avoiding a crisis, ought would have been child's play; and, to use not to be followed. He rejected the theory common phrase, we had esciped by the that the one pound notes ought to be issued kin of our teetly. (Cheere.) The situation to increase the currency of the country. was saved in part by the Governors of the Did people wish for the one pound note, Bruk of England, who obtained gold from because it was more convenient than the abroad. For that we depended in part on sovereign ? The Irish and the Scotch loved the good will, which was not wanting, of it more than the severeign, but he must the authorities of the Bank of France. plead guilty to an opposite feeling-(laugh-Cheers.) Paris was interested in saving ter and cheers)—though he was not sure the situation. There was such a solidarity that that was a common feeling. He now between banking interests in all parts | would not be induced by considerations of the world, that a crisis such as might | geonomy to introduce the one pound note have occurred in London, would not have lifthe result should be the displacement of failed to have had its counterpart in Paris | a large amount of gold currency, and the and Berlin, and Paris would have suffered loss of the reserve in time of danger. His seriously if the catastrophe had not been acheme would be to establish a second reserve by means of a certain fiduciary

THE BANK CHARTER.

There were some who thought that there must have been something wrong in the situation when it was necessary for this country, with its immense reserves, to have recourse to foreign aid. He rejoiced to think that their credit was saved not by the taneous efforts of the banking classes themselves. Some said that the difficulty was the fault of the Bank Charter Act. It was asserted that the capital of the Bank of Eugland was insufficient, and that there was not sufficient elasticity in our currency system or, in other words, that the office for printing banknotes was not put into wanted was cash, gold, which would pay rinting press at a moment of this kind was occasion what was developed was this-

cause it meant that we had, to a great ex-GOLD MARKET OF THE WORLD He did not deny, ou the other hand, that It is the genuine enjoyment which the amount in the Bank of England, which at | He entertained the company with an elabopeople contrive to extract from the occa- present was 24 millions. As one who was I rate speech, and sat down a few minutes sion. The An le-Baxon rese has done responsible with others for the safety of after 10, amid warm applaise. Judge Armuch for manking, but it has never bearned the country, he said that the amount of hour then rose, and he was in the middle how to spend a holder in such a way as gold in the possession of this country, I of a speech introducing at Secretary Bayard really to enjoy it. If the holiday period compared with the enormona amount in when some one exclaimed. Look at Becrois too protracted, or if any one of numer. the measurion of other countries, was a lary Windom. The speech was at once our conditions is wrong, we immediately mailter which required the attention of interrupted, and every eye was turned in vote the thing 's hore,' and with ourselves Atatesmon, and one to which we ought to I the direction of Mr Windom, who had coi-

ONE POUND NOTES. His mind, therefore, was fixed upon this. He would somer have twenty millions, say, of M. nutus -- (cheors) -- they must hear him to the ond-he would sooner have twenty millions at the centre than thirty millions in the waistcoat pockets of the people. He would not be a party to the expulsion of gold from the country by any excessive issues of any fiduciary currency whatever, If there was to be an increase

of fiduciary issues, he would endeavour to

make it subservient to the primary point of

being both stronger for banking and national purposes, and for that purpose, and that alone, would he embark upon any such scheme as that of the 14. note. 100in. ng to a point secreely of less interest—the cish reserves of the country apart from the question of gold—Mr Goschon said he hold s'rong conviction that the banking roserves of the country wordinadequate to ita necessities, and were too small compared. with the gigantic liabilities which our large astitutions had incurred. In times crisis reserved were essential, and it was of supreme importance that when the moment of crisis came all the great banks of the country should be able to afford relief to their quatomore rather than curtail the facilities which they were giving them. was all very well for banks to give facilities w their customers in good times, but the customer wanted to look to the bank when the pinch came. He was now engaged. with the assistance of the authorities of the Bank of England, in devising some scheme country might be strengthened, by which greater help might be given in emergencies. and by which it was hoped some of the fearful catastrophes that had sometimes threatened the commerce of the country might be avoided. He trusted that he would be able to give effect to his scheme but it would only be aggravating instead alleviating the position if the hope of second reserve besides a first reserve should have the effect of inducing joint stock banks to trade still further up to the hilt than they did at present.

BANK REFORMS.

their share in bringing about any reforms city carefully adjusted within the lines of which might be necessary in order that the protection; and not only will our foreign country might not again be at the mercy of foreign countries and compelled to import American industry will be ovickened and gold from abroad. The soundest and the whole people feet the in laise of new strongest banks might make the smallest dividends, because they did not over bank, whilst more improvident hanks with smaller reserves paid ever so much larger dividends to their shareholders, feeling that in case of disaster other banks would come to their assistance. It was a question whether the sorely. Immediately on receipt of the sad business to be done in a manner considered

Bluk of England. He was not authorised to say that they had agreed upon any plan, but they were working out a plan. They were endeavouring to see whether some atheme could not be devised by which these violent fluctuations and internal panics could be avoided. (Cheers.) The House of Commons' was proposed Sir Jas. Kitson and responded to by Mr

ditions to be defined, should take the place

of the Bank Charter Act. by providing the

means of a further issue of safe notes, when

the position of the country might seem to

demand it. In this matter he had been in

communication with the authorities of the

LATE TELEGRAMS

W. L. Jackson, M. P. and Mr H. J. Glad

THE NEW BISHOP OF PETERBOROUGE.

London, February 17.—Canon Creighton Wordester has been appointed Bishop of eterborough. MR GOSCHEN'S CURRENCY PROPOSALS.

Mr Geschen in reply to a question said he introduction of his proposals in regard to the carrency depended upon the progress of business in the House and a consensus of opinion upon them. HER NAJESTY'S MOVEMENTS. The Queen has selected Grasso, near

Cannes, as the place for her spring visit. THE WHITECHAPEL MURDER -- HADLER

A large sharp knife has been traced to Sadler's possession; and, owing to the strong case, the police have formally charged him with the murder in the Whitechapel case, and he is remanded for a

THE FRENCH LOAN TO THE BANK OF ENGLAND. The Bank of England has paid back the third million to France.

New York, January 80th - Mr Windom. York Hoard of Trade and Transportation at Beimonico's. A distinguished company surrounded the table, and Mr Windom was

larger stock of bullion in reserve, nut only present, and they, after requesting the commenced an examination, and discovered that, although the heart was still beating, yet the secretary was dying. Ho nev ouried from the binqueting hall to a room adjoining, and messongers were despatched for electric batteries. Four of these were applied to the body, and the shocks were continued for six minutes, but without success. At 11 minutes part 10 Judge Arnous came out of the room and anmounced that Mr Windom had breathed his last. The news tent a thill of horrer through the assumbly, which had not expooled a fatal result, as the Judge, on retiring from the hall, said that the Secretary had only fainted.

The Doctors have issued a cortificate stating that the primary cause of death was cerebral homorrhage, and the secondary Cause come. The banquet, which terminated in so sudden and mela choly a manner, was a most brilliant one. Mr Snow. president of the Board of Trade and Trausportation, was in the chair, having on his right Mr Windom, Mr Tracy, secretary of the Navy, and the lon. Mr J. W. Longley. attorney-general of Nova Scotia, and on his left Mr Bayard, M. Miller, attorney-general of the United States, and Mr Laurier, leader of the Opposition in in the Canadian Parliament. Among the others present were the most prominent merchants of the

Mr Windom responded to the toast of Our country's prosperity dependent upon its instruments of commerce, and in the course of his speech said. Believing that there is not enough either of gold or silver in the world to meet the necessities of business I am an earnest bi-metallist and oncede to none a stronger desire for the free and unlimited coinage of alver as soon as the conditions can be reached, through an infernational agreement or otherwise, by which such coinage would be safe. But it is my firm conviction that for this country to onter upon that experiment now would be extremely disastrous. The result would be not bi-metallism, but silver mono metallism. The Secretary's concluding words were: 'Give us direct and ample transport facilities under the American flag, and controlled by American citizens, a currency sound in quality and adequate He said that the great banking institu- in quantity, an international bank to facitions of this country were bound to take litate exchanges, and a system of reciprocommerce again invade everyses, but every and enduring presperity.

Mr Windom's deat's has onused a great shock to his associates at Washington. President Harrison was deeply grieved, and said he regarded the death of the Secretary as a great calamity which afficied him news. Mr. Harrison proceeded to the house of Mr Wanamuker. Postmaster General, where Mrs Windom and her two daughters were dining. The news was, however, not broken to them until they returned home. The shock to thom was terrible, the widow being completely overcome.

(From the Choya Shimbun.)

Berlin, 13th February. France and Russia regard the appointment of Count Schlieffen as Chief of the General Staff of the German Army with no uneasiness whatever.

It is rumoured that there is some difficulty connected with the observance of the secret treaty of offence and defence between Germany and Austria. It is said that this is the subject of the correspondence which has been going on between Prince Bismarck and the Emperor of

Quotations. Hongkong, March 3, 1891. OPIUM-New Patna, cash 4714 Old , cash ... 485 New Benares, cash, 4524 cash, 4561 Now Malwa cash, ., 490 Allowance, Tauls ... 40/48 Old Malwa, cash,... 500 540 Allowance, Taels ... 8/48 Persian, Oily, cash, 450/460 Allowance, Taels ... 48/64 Persian. Paper tied 450/460 Allowance, Taels ... 61/80 Exchange. Honokona, March 3. issue, and this second reserve, under con- On London-Bank, Wire, On demand. 30 days' sight. 4 months sight, 3/24 Oredits, 4 Documentary, 4 months aight, 8/3 Oo Paris-On demand. ... Credits, 4 months sight, On Berlin— On demand. On New York— On demand, 772 Credits, 60 days' sight, On Bombay---On demand. On Calcutta---On demand,

Temperature. (Taken at Messrs Falconer & Co. Premises, Queen's Road.) I P.M. ... 30.04 4 P.M. THERMOMETER—9 A.M.... 1 P.M.... 4 r.m. 68 (Wet bulb) 9 A.m. 62 Do: 1 P.M. 64 Do. 4 P.M. 65 Do. Maximum

Do. Minimum over night 64

30 days' sight, private paper, 7:

Sovereigns (Bank's buying rate) 8 6,18

Gold Loaf, 100 fing 832.80p. tast

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On demand.

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Egato, Norwegian barque Capt. Salve sen.-Eduard Schellhas & Co. John Batzley, American Barquenting Captain P. P. Shepheed. - Mealer.

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THROUGH TO NEW YORK, VIA OVERLAND RAILWAYS, AND TOUCHING AT YOKOHAMA AND SAN FRANCISCO.

'I'IIK U. S. Mail Steamship CITY OF RIO DE JANKIRO will be desigitches for SAN FRANCISCO, vid YOKOHAMA, on TUESDAY, the 10th March, at 1 p.m., taking Passengers and Freight for Japan, the United States, and

Through Bills of Lading issued for transportation to Yokohama and other Japan Ports, to San Francisco, to Atlantic and Inland, Cities of the United States, via Overland Railways, to Havana, Trinidad, and Democura, and to ports in Mexico, Central and South America, by the Com- N.B.—Cargo can be taken on through Bills

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First-class Farce granted as follows :-To San Francisco \$225.00 To San Francisco and return, available for 6 months ...] To Liverpool 325.00 To other huropean points at proportion-

Officers of the Army, Navy, Civil Service p.m. on the 14th of Match. (Parcel obtained on application. Passengers by this Line have the option | Value of Packages are required.

of proceeding Overland by the Southern | The Steamer has splended Accommodation Pacific and connecting lanes, Central Paci- | and carries a Doctor and Stewardess. fic. Northern Pacific or Canadian Pacific Railways.

Passengers, who have paid full fare, reembarking at San Francisco for China or Japan (or vice versa) within one year will be allowed a discount of 10 %. This allowance does not apply to through fares from China and Japun to Europe. Freight will be received on board until 4

p.m. the day previous to sailing. Parcel Packages will be received at the office until 5 p.m., same day; all Parcel Packages should be marked to address in full; value of same is required. Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo

destined to points beyond San Francisco, in the United States, should be sent to the Company's Offices in Scaled Envelopes, addressed to the Collector of Customs at Sat Francisco.

For further information as to Passage and Freight, apply to the Agency of the Company, No. 50A, Queen's Road Central. -C. D. HARMAN,

Hongkong, February 16, 1891.

NOTIOY. COMPAGNIE DES MESSACIERIES MARITIMES. PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS.

STEAM FOR SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, COLOMBO, PONDICHERRY,

MADRAS, CALCUTTA, ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, MEDITERRANEAN AND-BLACK SEA PORTS, ALEXANDRIA

MARSEILLES, AND PORTS OF BRAZIL, AND LA PLATA;

LONDON, HAVRE AND BORDEAUX.

N WEDNESDAY, the 11th March, 1891, at Noon, the Company's S.S. CALERONIEN, Com'dant DE MAUBEUGE, with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and CARGO, will leave this Port for the above places.

Cargo and Specie will be registered for London as well as for Marceilles, and accepted in transit through Marseilles for the principal places of Europe. Shipping Orders will be granted till

Carge will be received on board until IAM. Specie and Parcels until 3 p.m. on the 10th March, 1891. (Parcels are not to be sent on board; they must be left at the Agency's Office.)

Contents and value of Packages are re-For further particulars, apply at the Company's Office.

G. DE OHAMPEAUX,

Occidental & Oriental Steam Ship Company.

Hongkong, February 25, 1891.

TAKING CARGO AND PASSENGERS TO JAPAN, THE UNITED STATES, MEXICO, CENTRAL AND BOUTH AMERICA, AND EUROPE

THE OVERLAND RAILWAYS,

ATLANTIC & OTHER CONNECTING STEAMERS.

ITTHE Steamship GAELIC will. despatched for San Francisco, vid Yokohama, on SATURDAY, the 21st March, 1891, at 1 p.m., connection being made at Yokohama, with Steamers from

Shanghai and Japan Ports. All Parcel Packages should be marked t address in full; and same will be received at the Company's Office until 5 p.m. the

day previous to sailing, First-class Farea granted as follows:-To San Francisco \$225.00 To San Francisco and return, \ 393.75 available for 6 months ... To Liverpool 325.00

To other European points at proportionate rates. Special reduced rates granted to Officers of the Army, Navy, Civil Service and the Imperial Chinese Customs, to be obtained on application.

Passengers by this Line have the option of proceeding Overland by the Southern Pacific and connecting Lines, Central Pacific. Northern Pacific or Canadian Pacific

Railways. Passengers, who have paid full fare, reembarking at San Francisco for China or Japan (or vice versa) within one year will be allowed a dissount of 10 %. This allowence does not apply to through fares front China

and Japan to Europe. Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo destined to points beyond San Francisco, in the United States, should be sent to the Company's Offices, addressed to the Collector of Customs, San Francisco.

For further information as to Freight or Passage, apply to the Agency of the Company, No. 50A, Queen's Road Central. O. D. HARMAN.

Agent. Hotekong, February 26, 1891.

Mails.

NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD. NOTICE.

STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, COLOMBO, ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, BRINDISI, GENOA, ANTWERP, BREMEN & HAMBURG, PORTS IN THE LEVANTE, BLACK

SEA & BALTIC PORTS: LONDON, NEW YORK, BOSTON, BALTIMORE, NEW ORLEANS, GALVESTON & SOUTH AMERICAN

THE COMPANY'S STEAMERS WILL CALL AT SOUTH AMPTON TO LAND PASSENGERS

PORTS.

AND LUGGAGE.

RUSSIA. N SUNDAY, the 15th day of March. 1891, at 11 a.m., the Company NECKAR. Captain H. SUPMER with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE

and CARGO, will leave this port as above, calling at GENOA. Shipping Orders will be granted til Noon, Cargo will be received on heard ate rates. Special reduced rates granted to until 4 p.m., Specie and Parcels until 3 and the Imperial Chinese Customs, to be aro not to be sent on board; they must be

left at the Agency's Office), Contents and For further Particulars, apply to

MELCHERS & Co., Agents. Hougkong, February 16, 1891. CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY

COMPANY.

PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG, 1891. (SUBJECT TO ALTERATION.)

Empress of India	Theaday	March 31st.
Parthia —	Tuesday	April 28th.
Empress of Japan	Tuesday	Máy 26th,

TITHE Steamship EMPRESS OF INDIA Capt. O. P. MARSHALL, R. N. R., sailing at Noon, on TUESDAY, the 31st March, with Her Majesty's Mails, will proceed to VANCOUVER, vid SHANGHAI, NAGA-SAKI, INLAND SEA, KOBE and YOKO-

RATES OF PASSAGE. From Hondkong, First Class, To Vancouver, Victoria, Esquimault, New Westminster, Port \$225.00 Townsend, Seattle, Tacoma, To Banfl, Calgarry.......\$255.00

To Winnipeg\$275.00 To Minneapolis, St. Paul, Duluth. \$285.00 To Chicago, Kansas City, St. \$295.00 Louis, Milwaukee..... To Detroit, Cincinnati, Cleveland, Columbus, Hamilton, London, (Ont.), Toronto, Niagara Falls

To Kingston, Ottawa, Montreal, Quebec, New York, Albany, Troy, Rochester, Baltimore, \$310.00 Philadephia, Pittsburg, Washington, Boston, Portland (Me) Halifax, St. John.

To Liverpool, and London\$325.03 To Paris and Bremen\$345.00 To Havre and Hamburg\$335.00 Through Passage Tickets granted to England, France, and Germany by all trans- | St Atlantic lines of steamers.

Special rates (first class only) are granted to Missionaries, members of the Naval, Military, Diplomatic, and Civil Services, to European officials in service of China and Japan, and to Government officials. Return Tickets .- First and second class

only. -Prepaid return tickets to Pacific Coust Points, and to Eastern and Interior Points of Canada and U.S. A. will be granted, available for: 12 months at 25 per cent. off Return Fare

"50 per cent. " (Time is reckoned from the date of issue to date of re-embarkation at Vancouver). Passengers to Pacific Coast Points and to Interior and Eastern Points of Canada and U.S.A. not holding prepaid return tickets. but who re-embark at Vancouver within 12 months from date of issue of original ticket, will be allowed 10 per cent. off the return

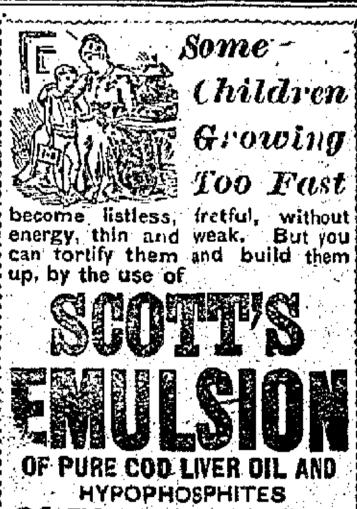
Prepaid return tickets to Liverpool and London will be issued available for 12 months at \$650 or for 4 months \$575. Caroo. -Through Bills of Lading issued to Japan, Pacific Coast Points, and to

Canadian and United States Points. CONSULAR INVOICES of Goods for United States Points should be in quadruplicate; and one copy must be sent forward by the steamer to the care of D. E. BROWN, Assistant General Freight and Passenger Agent, Canadian Pacific Railway Company, Vancouver, B.O.

Pancers must be sent to our office wi address marked in full by 5 p.m. on the day previous to sailing.

For Further information as to Passa. and Freight, apply to

ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Hongkong, February 21, 1891.



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AND AUSTRALIA. N.B.—Cargo can be taken on through Bills of Lading for BATAVIA, PERSIAN GULF PORTS, MARSEILLES,

AND BOSTON. SPECIE ONLY LANDED AT PLYMOUTH.

of Lading for the principal places in SUEZ CANAL, on THURSDAY, the 5th | receive prompt sitention. March, at Noon.

p.m. | Parcels and Specie (Gold) at the Office | signed is requested, when immediate steps until 4 p.m. on the day before sarbog. Silk and Valuables for Europe will be | satisfaction. transhipped at Colombe : General Cargo for London will be can wayed via Bombay without transhipment, arriving one week later than by the ordinary direct, route via Colombo. Ten will be sent either via Bom-

bay or Colombo according to arrangement. For further Particulars regarding FREIGHT and PASSAGE, apply to the PENINBULAR & ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGA-TION COMPANY'S Office, Hongkong. The Contents and Value of Packages are required to be declared prior to shipment.

Shippers are particularly requested to note the terms and conditions of the Company's black Bills of Lading, Passengers desirous of insuring their baggage can do so on application at the Com-

This Steamer takes Cargo and Passengers for Marseilles. E. L. WOODIN, Superintendent.

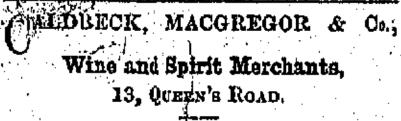
Hongkong, February 26, 1891. COLLEGE OF MEDICINE FOR CHINESE.

P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office,

PU materially aid the SENATE of the COLLEGE by forwarding to the Alice MEMORIAL HOSPITAL (1). Glass Jars (for museum purposes).(2). Illustrated Papers and Books for the Student's Reading Room and Library.

Address to JOHN C. THOMSON, Hon. Sec. to the College. Hongkong, February 25, 1891.

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CHAMPAGNES-Best Brands. OLARETS-Oholcest Vintages. SHERRIES, CORTS, BURGUNDIES, HOOKS and WHITE WINES. Specially Solucted BRANDIES and GINS. SCOTOH WHISKIES-BULLOCH, QADE & Co.'s. IRISH and AMERICAN WHISKIES.

LIQUEURS and BITTERS. Buttled ALES and STOUTS. APOLLINARIS-ROSBAUH and BELL THAL MINERAL WATERS. Hongkong, December 22, 1890.

NOTICE., TRIESTE, HAMBURG, NEW YORK | HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

CHIPMASTERS and ENGINEERS are NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steamship their arrival in this Harbour, NONE of BENGAL, Captain W. BARRATT, with Her the Company's FOREMEN should be at Majesty's Mails, will be despatched from hand, Orders for REPAIRS if cent to the this for LONDON, via BOMBAY and HEAD OFFICE, No. 14, Praya Central, will In the Event of Complaints being found

Cargo will be received on board until 4 | necessary, Communication with the Underwill be taken to rectify the cause of dis-D. GILLIES, Secretary.

Hongkong, Angust 25, 1885.

Insurances. QUEEN FIRE INSURANCE COM-PANY.

IME Undersigned, Agents for the above Company, are prepared to ACOEPT RISKS against FIRE at Current-Rates. NORTON & Co.

Agents.

Hengkong, July 15, 1887. 1340 · ATLAS ASSURANCE COMPANY

OF LONDON. THE Undersigned, having been appointed Agents for the above Company, are prepared to ACCEPT RISKS against FIRE at Current Rates. EDUARD SCHELLHASS & Co.,

Agents.

Hougkong, April 12,-1890. THE EQUITABLE LIFE ASSURANCE SOCIETY OF THE _ United States. RUSSELL & Co.

Agents.Hongkong, November 14, 1890. SHARE LIST.—QUOTATIONS —March 3, 1891 Nos. of Value Paid-Closing Quotations, Stocks

. Stocks	Shares.		Value.	.]	up.	Cash.	_
AAKS. Hongkong and Shanghai Bink Corp. New Issue	60,0 30	\$.£	12ā 31. 17 .6	\$	a) 62.50	8242°/, prem., cum new \$318, sales	
MARINE INSURANCE. Canton Insurance Office Co., Ld China Tradors' Insurance Co., Ld	10,030	86				\$115, ex dividend	
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West Point Building Co., Limited. 12,500 8 10 £ 1.10 619 Trust and Loan Co. of China &c., 1 99, 875 & 1 2 HK. High-Level Tramways Co., Ld. 1,200 8 all | \$60 Jelehu Mining & Trading Co., Ltd. 4,500 8 Panjon & Sunghie Dua Sam, nian 1 a.] \$24, sales Mining Co. Selama Tin Mining Company, { 275 centa Limited..... Société Française des Charbon-i nages du Tonkin The Balmoral Gold Ming Co., Ld. 15,000 9 Imuris Mines, Limited PLANTING, ETC. China-Borneo Company, Limited.... East Borneo Planting Co., Limited.

Labuk Planting Company, Limited. Songer Koyan Planting Co., Ld. H. G. Brown & Co., Limited..... The Lamag Planting Co., Limited ... Austin Arms Hotel and Building Company, Limited..... Hongkong Hotel Company, Lt.... 3.000 abs. isaued Peak Hotel & Trading Co., Limited 4,000 Borneo Hotel and Stores Co., Ld.... Shameen Hotel & Land Co., Ld. ... 5,000 \$ 10\$8, nom. DISPENSARIES. A. S. Watson & Co., Limited..... all \$40, nom. Cruickshank & Co., Limited LIGHTING. 10 £ 7.10 \$137, sellers HK, and Ohina Gas Co., Limita i. New Shares 1, 90 £ Hongkong Electric Co., Limited 30,000 8 837, sellers BRICK AND CEMENT. Green Island Coment Co., Lt. 20,000 25 \$17.56 \$10, nom. Hongkong Brick & Cement Co., Ld. 4,000 8

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Campbell, Moore & Co., Limited ...

Geo. Fenwick & Co., Limited

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Hongkong Dairy Farm Co.......... 8,000

Hongkong Ice Company, lamited ... 5,000

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* Founder's shares			
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Merchant Vessels in Hongkong Harbour.

Exclusive of late Arrivals and Departures reported to-day.

To facilitate finding the position of any vessel in the Harbour, the Anchorage is divided into eleven Sections, commencing at

Green Island. Vessels near the Hongkoug shore are marked h., near the Kowloong shore k., and those in the body of the

Shipping or midway between each shore are marked c., in conjunction with the figures denoting the sections.

L From Groon Islan 1 to the Gas Works.

2. From Gas Works to Jardine's Wharf. 3. From Jardine's Wharf to the Harbour Master's () 5 4. From Harbour Master's to the P. and O. Co.'s Offic:

5. From P. and O. Oo.'s Office to Polder's Wharf. 6. From Poldar's Whari to the Navil Yard.

7. From Naval Yard to Blue Buildings. 8. From Blue Buildings to East Point. 9. From Kellett's Island to North Point.

10. Kowloon Wharves. 11. Jardina's Whart.

Vessel's Name.	Anchor-	Captain.	Elag Re	and ig.	Toras.	Date of Arrival.	Consignees or Agents.	Destination.	Remarks,
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Bengal Benlarig	5 c	Barrett Boutellier	Brit. Brit	atr.			P. & O. S. N. Co. Gibb, Livingston & Co.	Europe, &c. Yokohama & Hiogo	5th inst,
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Bormida	õο	Gavāzzo	Italia	el Bie,	1199	Feb. 27	Carlowitz & Co.	Bombay, &c.	6th inst.
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Cheang Hye Teng Chow Fa	3 c	Phillips	Brit.	str.			Yuen Fat Hong	Singapore Bangkok	To-morrow
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Daphne	5 c	Voss	Ger.			Feb. 20	Siemssen & Co.	Yokohama	To-morrow
Devawongse Diamond	ე ¢ 3 h	Snow	Brit.		1057 1131	Feb. 2 Mar	Yuen Fat Hong Chinese	Bangkok	To-morrow
Edendale	8 c	Humphrey	Brit.				Mitsu Bishi	Amoy Kutchinotzu	Co-morrow
Else,	3 c	Jebsen	Ger.	str.	747	Feb. 1	Melchers & Co.		
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Nizam	2 h	Crewe	Brit.	str.	1615	Feb. 2	P. & O. S. N. Co.	Bombay, &c.	11th inst.
Oopack	15 k	Kemp	Brit.	str.		Mar.	Arnhold, Karberg & Co.	Shanghai	
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Pollux	. 3 c	Hollmers	Ger.	str,	893	Feb. 2	Melchers & Co.	Saigon	To-morrov
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Escort	. 3	Waterhouse	\mathbf{Ame}	r. bge.	636	Jan. 2	3 Chinese 2 Carlowitz & Co. 4 Russell & Co. 7 Gonsalves & Co.		e de la company
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Lacrity	despatch-vessel	1700	4	3180	Com. Chas. H. Adair	Orniang
aroline	cruiser	1400	14	1440	Captain Clutterbuck	Singapore
geria.	aurveying ship	740			Commander A. M. Field	Borneo
Cak	g-bt. 3rd class coast defence	363	3	340	Secretaria de la compansión de la compan	In reserve
lirebrand	gunboat 2nd class	455	4	460	IdeutCom. Denison	Hongkong
lyacinth	aruiser	1420	8	1190	Captain Robt, W. Craigie	Yokohama
mpériente*	twinscrew battle ship	8400	10	10000	Captain Eduard S. Pos	Hongkong
cander	cruiser 2nd class	4300	10	5500	Captain Burges Watson	Hongkong
Innet	gun-vesse 2nd class	756	5	1050	Commander V. A. Tindall	Shanghai
Tercury ^	oruiser	3780	18	7290	Capt. Chas. J. Balfour	Ornieng
eacock	gunboat 1st class	750	Ø	1200	LieutCommander Ingram	Hongkong
igmy	gunboat 1st class	755	6	1200	Lieut. Com. Hewett	Naguaki
lover	gunboat let class	755	6	1200	LieutCom. E. G. Rason	Singspore
orpoite	steel torpedo orniser	1770	1 0	8500	Commander R. W. White	Hongrong
attler	gunboat lat class	715	Ø	1200	LleutCom. J. G. Hengh	Hongkong
tedpole	gunboat 1st class	805	6	1200	LieutCom. F. Wm. Freeman	Hongkong
97670	cruiser	4050	12	6000	Captain Hall	Amor
olent	torpedo mining launch	150		<u> </u>		Hongkong
wift	gun-vesses 2nd class	756	5	1010	Commander Robt, D. B. Bruce	Hongkong
weed	g-bt. 3rd class coast defence		8	340		In reserve
yne	troopship	8600	-	National Control	Captain W. S. Goodridge	Hongkong
ictor Emanuel	receiving ship	5157	14		Commodors E. J. Church	Hongkong
Vivern	coast defenceship, armoured	2750	. 4	1450		Hongkong

Toredo Boats in Reserve Nos. 8, 20, 35, 36, 37 and 38, first class; and 3 second class boats

+ Expected shortly from Caps of Good Hope Archer, Steel Tor. Cruiser, 1,770 tons, 6 guns, 3,500 L.H.P., Com. John Ferris Relief for Wanderer.

* Flagship of Vice-Admiral Sir Fred. W. Richards, K.C.B.

H. B. M. Ships' tonnage, displacements and effective horse powers are given according to H. M. Navy list.

Foreign Men-of-war on the China and Japan Station.

Name.	Flag and Rig.	Tons.	Guns.	H.P.	Coplain.	iPhere at.
Admiral Nakhimoff	Russian armored cruiser	8000	22	8000	Captain Fedetoff	Japan
Alcout	Russian genboat	800			Captain Parenego	Nagasaki
Alexandrine	German cruiser	- 3200			Captain Schmider	Hongkong
Alliance	U. S. gunbeat	615	_		Captain H. C. Taylor	Xokohama
Aragon	Spanish cruiser	1908			Captair A. Soler	On a cruise
Aspic	French gunboat	470	4	450	Commander Journet	Shanghai
Chasseu!	French despatch-vessel				Captain Bagard	Baigon
Iltia	German gunboat	489			Captain Ascher	Shanghai
Inconstant	French gunboat	800		*****	Capt. de Jonquières	Mania
Leipzig	German cruiser	8800			Captain Rötiger	Hongkong
Lutin	French gunboat	485	1004	-425	Captain Neby	Tourn
Marion	U. S. corvette	1900	701	1170	Commander Dyer	Robe
Monocady	U. S. sloop	1370	6	1470	LieutCom. M. L. Johnson	Naguaki
Omaha	U. S. corvette	2400	12	1150	Capt. Cromwell	Yokohama
Pelos	U. S. gunbest	420	6	500	Lieut. Com. Oralg	Naguaki
Pluvier	French ganbost	540		420	LieutCommander Lapied	Haiphong
Rio Lims	Portuguese gunboat	540			Captain J. R. Santa Barbara	Hongkong
Sivootch	Russian cruser	900	1.4	1000	Commander Kasherininoff	Shanghai
Bopbie	German croser	2100			Captain Herolog	Hongkong
Swatara	corvette	-		i de la companya de La companya de la co	Commander John McGowan	Robe
Tejo	Portuguese gunboat	50Q	3	100	Lieut Com C. B. Ceminha	Robe Macro
Triomphante	French croier	4500		• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	Capt. Luciniere	Mania
Villars	French cruiser			and the second	Captain Mayet	Haiphong
Vipere	French gunboat	480		425	Commander Constolla	Roughong
Volturno	Italian gunboat	346		1475 <u></u> 146	Captain Roych	Shenghai
Wolf	Gorman gonboos	3214		:40	Captain Hellhoff	Hongkong

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